

PUBLIC NOTICE

PERMIT APPLICATION: NRS 06.387

APPLICANT: Ross Thomas
The BNSF Railroad Company
4515 Kansas Avenue
Kansas City, KS 66106
913-551-4410

LOCATION: Unnamed Tributary to Johns Creek
Shelby County 35.02461/-89.89129

WATERSHED DESCRIPTION: The unnamed tributary to Johns Creek flows through an industrialized area in Shelby County. The tributary is narrow with little or no cover and a sand/silt bottom. There are additional culverts on the tributary beneath Shelby Drive and within the rail yard.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The applicant proposes to culvert 400 feet of the unnamed tributary to add additional operation capacity. Due to limited space in the industrial area there were no other practicable alternatives for expansion or mitigation. The applicant proposes to mitigate the activity by paying \$80,000 to the Tennessee Stream Mitigation Program.

In accordance with the Tennessee Antidegradation Statement (Rule 1200-4-3-.06), the division has determined that the proposed activity will not result in degradation to water quality.

USGS TOPOGRAPHIC QUADRANGLE: Southeast Memphis (409-SW)

PERMIT COORDINATOR: Brian Canada

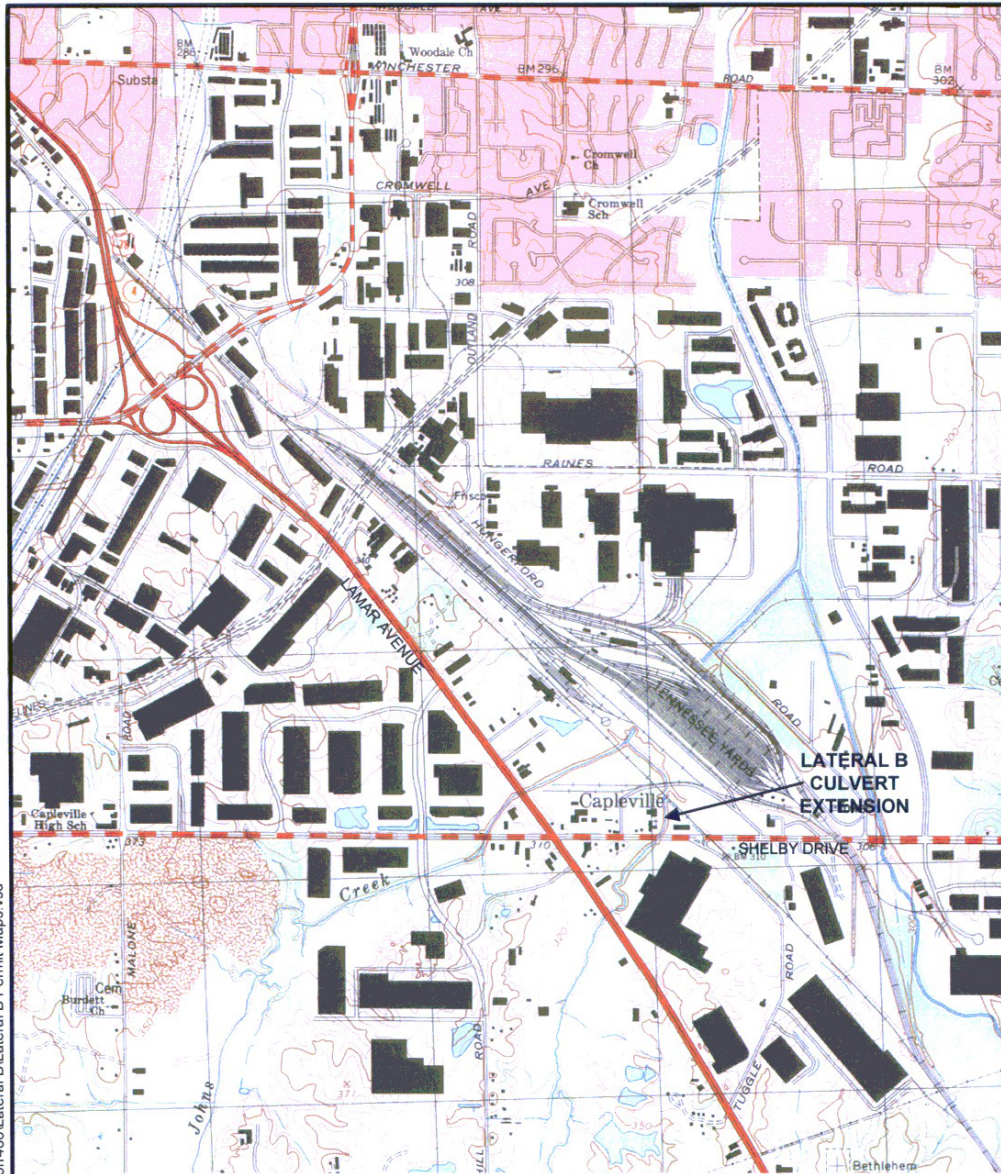
No decision has been made whether to issue or deny this permit. The purpose of this notice is to inform interested parties of this permit application and to ask for comments and information necessary to determine possible impacts to water quality. Persons wishing to comment on the proposal are invited to submit written comments to the department. Written comments must be received within **thirty days of the date that this notice is posted**. Comments will become part of the record and will be considered in the final decision. The applicant's name and permit number should be referenced.

Interested persons may also request in writing that the department hold a public hearing on this application. The request must be filed within the comment period, indicate the interest of the person requesting it, the reasons that the hearing is warranted, and the water quality issues being raised. When there is sufficient public interest in water quality issues, the department will hold a public hearing.

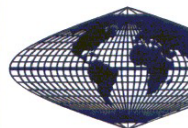
The permit application, supporting documentation including detailed plans and maps, and related comments are available at the department's address for review and/or copying. The department's address is:

Tennessee Department of Environment & Conservation
Division of Water Pollution Control, Natural Resources Section
7th Floor L & C Annex
401 Church Street
Nashville, TN 37243

In deciding whether to issue or deny a permit, the department will consider all comments on record and the requirements of applicable federal and state laws.



SOURCE: 1997 SOUTHEAST MEMPHIS, TN 7.5-MINUTE USGS QUADRANGLE TOPOGRAPHIC MAP.

<p>SCALE 1 IN. = 2,000 FT</p> <p>N</p>	 <p>HANSON WILSON INCORPORATED</p>	<p>SITE LOCATION MAP</p> <p>LATERAL B CULVERT EXTENSION BNSF TENNESSEE YARD EXPANSION MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE</p> <p>JOB NO. 03RR486</p> <p>FIGURE NO. 1</p>
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